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SUBJ: SPECIAL SELF-HELP FUNDS FY77: NIGER

FOR AF/ZPS - EDWARD SEGALL

REF: A) NIAMEY 2426, B) STATE 91169

1. TWO SELF-HELP PROJECTS SIGNED YESTERDAY (SEE REFTEL A) RECEIVED FRONT PAGE COVERAGE IN TODAY'S EDITION OF SAHEL DAILY NEWSPAPER. ARTICLE INCLUDED PHOTO OF SIGNING CEREMONY--PREFECT AND CHARGE--AND MADE MENTION OF OTHER PROJECTS FINANCED BY SELF-HELP.

2. WE HAVE BEEN PLEASED WITH THE PROGRESS OF SELF-HELP PROGRAM HERE SINCE IT WAS RELAUNCHED LAST YEAR. GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS SEEM TO BE GAINING APPRECIATION FOR HIGH-IMPACT AND COMPARATIVELY SIMPLE ADMINISTRATION OF SELF-HELP PROJECTS.

3. LONG SOUGHT ENTHUSIASM AT PREFECT LEVEL FOR SELF-HELP IDEA IS NOW BEGINNING TO MATERIALIZE AND POST ANTICIPATES NO PROBLEM IN OBLIGATING REMAINDER OF FY77 SELF-HELP FUNDS. WE EXPECT TO SIGN MUNICIPAL DRAINAGE PROJECT FOR CITY OF OUALLAM (USG CONTRIBUTION \$13,000) BEFORE THE END OF JUNE. IN ADDITION, DETAILS ARE BEING WORKED OUT ON BROAD RANGE OF SMALLER PROJECTS INCLUDING A HEALTH DISPENSARY, REFORESTATION PROJECT, DUNE CONTROL, WLTIAN LEATHERSHOP, AND SEVERAL VILLAGE WELLS. IF ALL ARE UNCLASSIFIED

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ACCEPTED, NIAMEY COULD BE CANDIDATE FOR FY77 FALLOUT FUNDS.

4. THUS AT THIS TIME WE FEEL IT WOULD BE MISTAKE TO TRANSFER ANY OF POST'S DOLS 26,000 REMAINING IN SELF-HELP FY77 ALLOCATION. SELF-HELP PROGRAM GROWTH HAS BEEN LOW BUT STEADY, AND TRANSFER OF FUNDS NOW WILL COMPLICATE USEFUL PROJECTS WHICH WE EXPECT TO BE ABLE TO SIGN IN THE NEXT COUPLE OF MONTHS.DAVISON

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